







Attorney's Docket No. 17243-00019

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

| My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an elife (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which invention entitled: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONDUCTING DUE DILIGENCE, the specific of the subject matter which is claimed and for which invention entitled: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONDUCTING DUE DILIGENCE, the specific of the subject matter which is claimed and for which invention entitled: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONDUCTING DUE DILIGENCE, the specific of the subject matter which is claimed and for which invention entitled: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONDUCTING DUE DILIGENCE, the specific of the subject matter which is claimed and for which invention entitled: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONDUCTING DUE DILIGENCE, the specific of the subject matter which is claimed and for which invention entitled: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONDUCTING DUE DILIGENCE, the specific of the subject matter which is claimed and for which invention entitled: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONDUCTING DUE DILIGENCE, the specific of the subject matter which is claimed and for | ch a patent is sought on the ecification of which: |
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| I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identifi | No. <u>09/681,392</u> , |
| claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. | ed specification, including the |
| I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations $\S1.56(a)$. | this application in accordance |
| I hereby claim priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United Stand, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not discloapplication in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.5 the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the | sed in the prior United States §112. I acknowledge the duty 56(a) which occurred between |
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| I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §119(e) of any United States below: | provisional application(s) listed |
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